

Board Meeting
March 13, 2007

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DESIGNATE THE DR. ALLAN L. AND MARY L. GRAHAM CLINICAL
PERFORMANCE CENTER IN THE ~~COLLEGE OF MEDICINE RESEARCH~~
MEDICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, CHICAGO

Action: Approve naming of the Dr. Allan L. and Mary L. Graham Clinical Performance Center in the ~~College of Medicine Research~~ **Medical Sciences** Building, Chicago

Funding: No Funding Required

The Chancellor at Chicago has recommended naming the Clinical Performance Center on the first floor of the ~~College of Medicine Research~~ **Medical Sciences** Building, located at 835 South Wolcott Avenue, the Dr. Allan L. and Mary L. Graham Clinical Performance Center, in recognition of their \$1.0 million gift to the Center. Approximately \$250,000 will be used to update, remodel, and equip the Center. The remaining \$750,000 will be placed in endowment to support the faculty, staff, and administrative costs of the Center.

The Clinical Performance Center helps educators in the health professions improve clinical performance by using simulated clinical encounters for training, assessment, quality improvement, and research.

Dr. Graham received his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree from Urbana in 1954 and his Doctor of Medicine degree from Chicago in 1960. He also did his surgical residency at the University of Illinois Medical Center. Mrs. Graham

graduated with a degree in education from the Urbana campus in 1957. Dr. Graham went on to become a successful cardiovascular surgeon in the Fort Worth, Texas, area, where he and Mrs. Graham currently reside.

It has been Dr. Graham's dream to make a significant contribution while he is living. He believes that both veterinary medicine and the College of Medicine have contributed significantly to his lifetime success.

The board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statutes, The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure*, and Board of Trustees policies and directives.

The President of the University concurs.